

# Bargain Day!

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## Men's All Wool Overcoats

Sizes 34, 35, 36, 37 and 38

**\$7.50**

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## Men's Raincoats

**\$10**

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## Children's Overcoats

**\$3.75**

## Steele, Taplin & Co.

W. A. Taplin, Prop.

On The Hill

Friday, Mar. 7

### WELLS RIVER

#### Death of Franklin Deming, Former Postmaster and Old Bank President

Thursday morning, Feb. 20th, Franklin Deming was taken seriously ill with pneumonia and died Wednesday morning, Feb. 26. He was born in Danville, Sept. 1823, where he spent his childhood and was educated at Danville and Derby academies. On becoming of age he went west, but in a year returned to St. Johnsbury, and became partner in the tailoring firm of Boies and Deming. In October, 1854 he married Catherine, daughter of Francis and Sophia Bingham of St. Johnsbury and in 1857 came to Wells River and engaged in the mercantile business which he conducted alone until 1899 when Simon E. Clark became his partner. He was a loyal republican and served as postmaster 25 years and was town representative in 1888. Last January he was re-elected a director of the National Bank of Newbury for the 40th consecutive term and had been its efficient president for 20 years. He was a member of the Congregational church in this place and was a constant attendant and liberal supporter of the church in all its branches. He was elected deacon in 1894, and held this office until his demise. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Henry Lee and Mrs. John Peach. Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon at his late home the Rev. Donald Fraser, his pastor officiating. Burial was made in the family lot in Wells River cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Allen of Lancaster was the guest last week of H. T. Baldwin and wife.

Mrs. Charles Miller has come to keep house for E. C. Graves. Mr. Miller who works for Mr. Graves boards there.

Mrs. S. E. Goss was in Boston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodwin were home from North Haverhill Tuesday evening to attend a special meeting of O. E. S.

Church services are being held in the village hall while the church is undergoing repairs.

Kimball Marshall was ill with the grip last week.

Clarence Carpenter of Montpelier was called here last week by the sudden death Friday morning of his brother, Eugene D. Carpenter.

Supt. W. S. Glover of Groton held teachers' examinations at the school house last Thursday and Friday.

The study club met with Mrs. Hetherington Monday evening.

Mrs. Nellie M. Smythe of St. Johnsbury, D. G. M., and Dr. Smith of Lyndonville, D. G. P., paid an official visit to Corinthian Chapter, O. E. S. last week Tuesday evening. On account of so much sickness in town the attendance was not large. Two candidates were received and at the close of the work both Mrs. Smythe and Dr. Smith made pleasing and instructive remarks after which a collation was served.

The regular meeting of Col. Preston W. R. C. will be held Wednesday evening, March 6.

**Death of Mrs. Nathan Ricker**

Mrs. Nathan Ricker whose death was noted last week had been in poor health two years or more but confined to the house only about ten weeks. Nellie Josephine was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. George Rollins, formerly of this place who went from here to Middletown, Ct. which was the birthplace of Mrs. Ricker, the family soon after moving to New Britain. After the death of her parents, she lived with her grandmother, Mrs. Polly Martin Clough, also a former resident here many years and her aunt, Mrs. N. M. Sturgis, who had the care of her through her high and normal school training. For 20 years or more Mrs. Ricker was a teacher in a high school in New Britain and with her aunt spent the summer vacation at the Coosuck House and later at Hale's Tavern, where they met old and made new friends. At Hale's Tavern January 1, 1910 Miss Rollins became the wife of Nathan Ricker who immediately took her to his pleasant home where they spent three years of happy married life and where Friday, Feb. 14 her funeral services were held. Burial was made in Groton cemetery in Mr. Ricker's family lot beside his first and second wife, W. A. Ricker and wife, Dr. Ricker and wife of St. Johnsbury and Mrs. N. M. Sturgis of New Britain were present at the funeral.

**LUNENBURG**

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Dexter Bean finished work for John Cole and has returned to his home in Groveton.

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Nat Bean and family have moved from their home here in the village to the farm of Taylor Novis at South Lancaster.

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Mrs. Phillips is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. N. Bell at South Lunenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bell and her son, Leland, were guests of her parents at Guildhall over Sunday.

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H. M. Knapp is quite ill with the grip.

Mrs. J. A. Winslow entertained Mrs. Mittle Parker of Glover last week.

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### PASSUMPSIC

#### Death of William Kelley A Long Time Resident

The death of William Kelley, 46 years a resident of this village, occurred on Friday night, following over two years' illness. Mr. Kelley was born in Glenade, county Leitrim, Ireland, in March, 1832. He came to this country when 22 years of age and made his home in St. Johnsbury for about 12 years. He lived on a farm near this village for 36 years, where many have pleasant memories of being most hospitably entertained. About ten years ago he bought a house in the village which has since been his home. On October 13, 1859, he married Ellen Todd at St. Johnsbury, and three years ago they celebrated their golden wedding. He is survived by his wife and two nieces and a nephew Misses Bridget and Sarah Rooney of St. Johnsbury, and William Rooney of Island Pond. He was the last survivor of a family of four children Owen, who never came to this country; Mary, Mrs. Felix Rooney; and Margaret, who was a member of St. Aloysius church, and his funeral was held from the church Monday morning. Those called from out of town by his death were William Rooney and daughter, Claire of Island Pond; Mr. and Mrs. James Todd and sons, Horace and Walter of Palmer Mass., and William P. Todd of Boston.

**SOUTH RYEGATE**

Miss Odessa Whiteher of Woodsville, N. H., and her friend, Miss Edna Newton of Hartford, Ct., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Terry this week.

Miss Marie Darling who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. H. Hooker, at Orleans returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Farquharson went Monday to Plainfield to visit relatives for a few days.

The Wednesday club observed gentlemen's night Monday evening in the U. P. vestry which was attractively decorated for the occasion. The L. A. S. of the U. P. church served dinner at eight o'clock. There were about 40 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morrison of Barre spent Sunday with Mrs. Morrison's father, George Crowe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Simpson have returned from Topsham where they have been caring for Mrs. Simpson's mother, Mrs. P. Hayward, who is now improved.

Miss Elizabeth Hall, assistant superintendent of schools in Minneapolis, Minn., came Saturday to spend a week with her people here. Miss Hall came east to attend the N. E. A. meeting in Philadelphia. She also spent two days in Washington D. C., visiting schools on her way home.

Mrs. F. J. Tewksbury and Mrs. N. A. Park spent Wednesday in St. Johnsbury.

The Caledonia A. A. played Castleton A. A. at Wells River Tuesday evening and will play the Shamrock A. A. at Barre Thursday evening.

I. H. Gilfillan was out again Monday after a week's illness with grip.

M. R. Brown who has been entertaining tonsillitis for the past ten days, appeared at the village Monday.

E. P. Crowe is recovering from a severe attack of grip, being threatened with pneumonia at one time.

William Thompson of Barre has moved into the tenement above J. F. McLam's store.

Mrs. N. M. McAllister and Miss Hattie McAllister were called to Mass. N. H. Saturday by the death of Mrs. McAllister's sister Miss Hattie Page.

Mrs. C. B. Aiken of St. Johnsbury came Saturday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. E. Keenan.

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### RECENT DEATHS.

**Smith**  
Jerome T. Smith died early Monday morning after several weeks' illness. He was born in Passumpsic 62 years ago. He lived in Melrose Mass., and was a member of the police force while living there as he was later in St. Johnsbury. He was also employed by E. and T. Fairbanks and Co. His wife who was Melina Heath, died a year ago. He is survived by his father, who is 96 years old and one daughter, Mrs. Lizette Holbrook of Danville. The funeral will be at two o'clock this afternoon from the home, 27 Central street, and the interment will be at Passumpsic. He was a member of the Odd Fellows.

**Hastings**  
The remains of Bina L. Hastings were brought here last week from the Gill Odd Fellows Home at Ludlow where he died on Feb. 25 aged 64 years. His wife died a year ago last summer and their only son three years ago. He was a Mason as well as an Odd Fellow and is remembered by many old friends here having spent most of his life in town.

**Barrett**  
Many old friends learned with regret of the death of Charles Barrett in Somerville, Mass., on February 21. He was 84 years old and lived here in the early 50's; later in Northfield where he was connected with a slate quarry. He was a railroad man, an expert accountant, but retired from business five years ago. He is survived by his wife, one son, Edwin A., and one sister, Miss Mary Barrett.

**SHEFFIELD**

**Death of Bradley Ingalls, an Old Resident—Personals**

Bradley Ingalls passed away about four o'clock Saturday morning at his home here. Mr. Ingalls was one of the oldest men in town and one of the most respected. He has suffered for many years with a bad leg but a shock came Wednesday morning from which he never rallied. He leaves an only daughter, Jennie I. Smith and two grandsons, Cecil and Bradley Smith. He has been cared for very tenderly by his daughter and husband during his illness.

Rev. Mr. Bennett of Massachusetts conducted the funeral Monday at two o'clock at the house.

Mrs. Alice Davis and Lydia Brown visited Mrs. O. K. Chesley of St. Johnsbury last week.

Mrs. Mary Wells and son, Harold of Danville are visiting at W. S. Willard's.

Mr. and Graydon Tripp have returned to their home in Orleans.

Walter Drown has been very sick the past week suffering with erysipelas. He is being cared for at the home of Mr. Knapp in the mill house.

Eight candidates took the first and second degree at Independent grange last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Norris and Mr. Cheney from Sutton grange visited this grange last Wednesday night.

W. S. Willard visited the food fair at St. Johnsbury last Thursday.

George Clapp's mother is ill.

**Y. M. C. A. Notes**

The subject for the Boys' Bible class tonight is "Paul Works at His Trade."

The Junior class elephant was won jointly by Wallace Carter and E. Radford with 27 points; Edwin Woods, 3rd with 26.5.

Two games of the pool tournament was played during the past week with the following result: Preston Connor 50, W. A. Wright 18, Connor 50, Cary 34.

Two games of the bowling tournament were rolled with the following results:

**Allstars vs. Perry's Team**  
Allstars 385 378 406 1169  
Perry's 411 392 396 1195

**Clerk's vs. Blodgett's Team**  
Clerk's 398 419 422 1239  
Blodgett's 363 406 398 1167

**Team Standing**

**Notice of Allowance of Account.**  
ESTATE OF JEAN W. SOMERS.  
STATE OF VERMONT, District of Caledonia, ss. The Honorable Probate Court for the District aforesaid: To all persons interested in the estate of Jean W. Somers, late of Barre, in said District, deceased, greeting:

Whereas, said Court has assigned the 14th day of March next for examining and allowing the account of the Executor of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned, in the Caledonian a newspaper published at St. Johnsbury in said District.

Therefore, you are hereby notified to appear at the Probate Office in St. Johnsbury in said District, on the day assigned, then and there to contest the allowance of said account if you see cause, and to establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

Given under my hand, this 19th day of February, A. D. 1913.

WALTER P. SMITH, Judge.

**Probate of Will.**  
ESTATE OF MICHAEL BANAHAN.  
STATE OF VERMONT, District of Caledonia, ss. The Honorable Probate Court for the District of Caledonia: To all persons interested in the estate of Michael Banahan, late of St. Johnsbury, in said District, deceased, greeting:

At a Probate Court, holden at St. Johnsbury, within and for said district, on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1913, an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Michael Banahan, late of St. Johnsbury, in said District, deceased, was presented to the Court aforesaid, for Probate.

And it is ordered by said Court that the 15th day of March, A. D. 1913, at the Probate Office in said St. Johnsbury, be assigned for proving said instrument; and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned, by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the time appointed, in said District, previous to the time appointed, and that they be hereby notified to appear before said Court, at the time and place aforesaid, and contest the probate of said will, if you have cause.

Given under my hand at St. Johnsbury in said District, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1913.

WALTER P. SMITH, Judge.

### ACADEMY NOTES

#### Close Game of Basket Ball Forfeited to Hardwick Academy

Friday evening the Hardwick Academy basket ball team played the Academy team on the Y. M. C. A. floor. The game was the fastest which had been seen on the St. Johnsbury floor this year. In all round work Bachelier starred for the visitors. Connor and Fisk played the best game for the Academy boys with the other members of the team fighting for next place. Connor was in almost every scrimmage and he could be counted on to keep track of the ball every minute of the game. Fisk started the scoring in the early part of the game, however, referee Clark couldn't bear to see the Hardwick boys lose so he called quite a few fouls in rapid succession. The first period ended with a score of 7-5 in favor of Hardwick. During the second period our fellows found themselves too such an extent that the period ended in our favor by a score of 10-7. I the last period however, their luck seemed to have deserted them for the game ended with a score of 11-11. It remained to play until some one team should get two points in advance of the other. For about five minutes things were quite even, but a foul was called on St. J. A. which to the players seemed decidedly unfair. Acting Captain Gilfillan refused to play under this decision and so forfeited the game to Hardwick. The team sorely missed the work of Noyes and Capt. Fisk who were at East Hardwick with the Glee Club. This line-up:

**Hardwick Academy:**  
Gilfillan, 1 f r g, Mevill  
Salmon, r f i g, Nobl  
Fisk, c c, Bachelier  
Gibson, r g i f, Davi  
Connor, 1 g r f, Gallagher

Baskets from floor: Salmon, Bachelier 2; Gilfillan, Fisk, Davis, Baskets from fouls, Bachelier 5; Gilfillan 2; Fisk 1. Referee, Clark. Umpire, Reed. Scorers, Snow, Babcock. Timers, McGovern. Leonard. Time, three 15 min. periods.

Friday evening the Glee club gave a concert at East Hardwick. The boys returned Saturday noon and brought back glowing reports of their fine reception.

An electric flash light sign advertising the Senior Benefit has been placed on the roof of the St. Johnsbury House. This sign is the work of Mr. Judd of the factory.

**MCINDOE FALLS**

Mrs. Arthur Peck of Hanover, N. H., was a guest at A. L. Guthrie's Sunday.

There will be an entertainment at the Academy Hall Monday evening March 10, consisting of readings by Miss Edith Bruce Jones and music followed by a promenade. Proceeds for the benefit of the Village Improvement society.

Bernard McDonald is sick with the measles this week.

Mrs. William Lackie and daughter, Margaret of East Ryegate spent last Wednesday at Benj. Manchester's.

Mrs. C. B. Edgerton was at Lyndonville over Sunday.

## E. N. Randall & Co.

offer the following

### Bargain Day Specials For One Day Only MARCH 7th

#### Dry Goods Department

Clark, O. N. T. Spool Cotton, Friday 6 spools for 25c

1 lot Light Prints, regular price 6c and 7c, Friday 5c yd

1 lot Linen Crash Toweling, reg. price 12 1/2c yd, Friday 10c yd

Women's Cotton Night Robes, V and high neck, Friday 29c each

8c Apron Check Gingham on sale, Friday 6 1/2c yd

Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, soft finish, Friday 3 for 10c

8 pieces Heavy Silk Muslins, reg. price 25c, Friday 15c yd

7 pieces Fancy Cotton Voile Dress Goods, regular price 25c, Friday 15c yd

Small lot 25c Zephyr Gingham, Friday 15c yd

**Clearance Sale**  
of House Dresses, odd lots and discontinued numbers, values up to \$1.98, Friday 79c each

**Black Silk Petticoats**  
\$5.00 Silk Petticoats, Friday \$3.98  
\$3.50 Silk Petticoats, Friday 2.98

**Jap Matting Suit Cases,** Sale 98c each

**Everything in Easter Novelties** from 1c up

**SPECIAL SALE**  
5 dozen P. N. Corsets, regular \$1.00 value, while they last 79c pair

Children's Weave Hosiery, fine weave, were 25c and 35c pr. Sale 19c pr.

All our 50c Suede and Cashmerette Women's Gloves. Sale 37c pr.

Aviation Caps, reg. price \$1.00. Closing 69c ea.

4 Special 112 pc. Dinner Sets, gold line, rose and forget-me-not patterns, Friday only \$9.49 set

A or No. 1 Lamp Chimneys, Friday 3c each

2 Electric Lamps, green dome, with fringe, brass standard, Friday only \$2.98 each

Our regular 35c House Broom, Friday 25c each

Our regular 40c House Broom, Friday 29c each

Best quality Spring Clothes Pins, Friday 3 dz. for 10c

No. 1 Russian Food Chopper, easy to clean, Friday 98c each

An extra good 4 ft. Step Ladder, Friday 95c each

2 qt. Grey Enamel Double Boilers, reg. price 49c, Friday 29c each

8 qt. Berlin Grey Enamel Kettles, reg. price 40c, Friday 27c each

One lot Blue, white lined, Enamel Chamber Pails, reg. price \$1.50, Friday 98c each

3 Cup Egg Poachers, Friday 8c each

One lot Coat and Hat Hooks, Friday 7c dz.

**Corset Covers**  
Lot 1, 3 rows Val. lace, trimmed with ribbon, Sale 17c each

Lot 2, 1 in. Hamburg Insertion, 2 rows lace insertion, lace trimmed with ribbon, Sale 19c each

**10 Quart Tin Sap Buckets,** 10c each

## Friday, Mar. 7 For Cash Only

I am now located at 80 Eastern Avenue where I shall be pleased to see all my old customers, and I trust many new ones.

Come to "THE WORKBOX" if you wish for the best and latest in Embroidery materials. I have a very complete line of Infants' and Children's wear.

Do not forget this place at Easter. You will find dainty Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, Hand-painted novelties and many articles suitable for gifts.

Mrs. G. W. Hutchinson

Uncolored Tea 35c lb., 3 lbs. for \$1  
4 Pkgs. Corn Flakes 25c  
25 lbs. Sugar \$1.20  
7 Bars W. Soap 25c  
O. G. Rolled Oats per pkg. 20c  
Quaker Breakfast Biscuit pkg. 7c  
No. 2 Walnuts per lb. 13c  
Bensdorp's Cocoa per pkg. 7c  
Wheatena " " 13c

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